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MINT TO SELL TWO MILLION UNCIRCULATED COIN SETS

Miss Eva Adams, Director of the Mint, today announced that orders for the 1968 uncirculated coin sets will be limited to two million sets. The Mint already has received orders for about 1.7 million sets.

The Mint announced in May that uncirculated coin sets would be available but that acceptance of orders would be contingent upon the Mint's ability to meet an unpredictable demand. Present Mint facilities and workload will make it necessary to cutoff orders at two million sets.

Only those coins currently being manufactured for circulation are included in the uncirculated sets. The price of $2.50 per set includes first class registered mail fee. The maximum number of sets per order is 20 sets. Uncirculated coins manufactured in prior years are not available at the Mint.

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